

Our Faithful Departed.....

**Andrew (Andy) Sargent, Firmount, Clane/Naas, Co. Kildare
Jimmy McDonnell, London, Uncle of Steph McDonnell**

...may they rest in peace, Amen

Masses for the Week

Clane

Saturday 10 th May	6.30pm	Doreen Fortune, Lily Kelly, Jack & Agnes Halligan, Sean & Jim Halligan, Jean Malone, James McCarthy, Jim Cash, Bernadette Burke
Sunday 11 th May	9.30am	Alice King (Birth Rem), Margaret & Richard Coffey
	11.30am	Kathleen Cribbin, Des Hoban, Harold Poole, Jim McCarthy
Tue 13 th May	10.00am	Carmel Fitzgibbon, Michael & Sheila Shannack
Wed 14 th May	10.00am	Morning Prayer
Thu 15 th May	10.00am	Mick Kennedy, Thomas McManaman
Friday 16 th May	10.00am	
Saturday 17 th May	6.30pm	Ger McCaffrey, Michael Doherty, Annette Hansford, David O'Neill, Peggy Carew, Sheila & Dick Underwood and Deceased Family Members, Ann & Mick Dunne and Deceased Family Members
Sunday 18 th May	9.30am	
	11.30am	Margaret Twomey (Months Mind), Keith Corrigan, Joe Mahon, Ann & William Lazenby

Rathcoffey

Sunday 11 th May	10.30am
Sunday 18 th May	10.30am

	Sat 17th 6.30 pm	Sunday 18th 9.30am	Sunday 18th 11.30am	Sunday 18th 10.30am
	Clane	Clane	Clane	Rathcoffey
Ministers of the Eucharist	Diarmuid Coonan Bernie Corbett Marie Cribbin Cyrena Hayes	Katherine Martin Margaret McDonald Shirley O'Keefe James Plunkett	Laura Duffy Colette O'Byrne Sean O'Hara Rose Sullivan	Beatrice Travers Nuala Travers
Ministers of the Word	Brian O'Brien Patricia O'Neill	Gerry Fagan Charlotte Hackett	Mary Smith Margaret Maguire	Lucy Travers
Basket Collectors (May)		Darragh O'Brien Paddy Moore James Plunkett John Sullivan	Sean O'Hara Philip Comerford Donal O'Brien	

Clane & Rathcoffey Parish Newsletter

Clane Church, 1884 – 2025

Rathcoffey Church, 1710 – 2025

Fourth Sunday of Easter

11th May 2025

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Parish Charity Number 20015848

Love while You can, walk while You can, Love not judgement

Parish Contacts

Fr. Paul O'Boyle P.P.
Prosperous Road, Clane
Phone: 045 868249

Weekend Mass Times

Clane

Saturday	6.30pm
Sunday	9.30am
	11.30am

Rathcoffey

Sunday	10.30am
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Suaimehneas Centre

Main Street Clane, 087-2466 892
Supporting Our Search For Inner Peace

Children's Grief Space

Making a difference in the lives of children
and young people affected by loss
Parish Centre, Main Street in Clane
089-246 5747

Parish Shop and Office

The Parish Centre

Main Street Clane

OPENING HOURS

Monday to Friday 10.30am – 12.30pm

Phone: 045-861393

Email: claneparish@eircom.net

www.claneparish.com

WebCam/Live Streaming

www.claneparish.com

and on churchservices TV

www.facebook.com/ClaneParishPage/

Our New Pope Leo the 14th

Welcome to our new Pope Leo the 14th

formerly Cardinal Robert Prevost.

American by birth at age 69. He has

extensive experience as a missionary

Bishop in Peru and as an Augustinian

Priest and from his work in the Vatican.

May God bless him to lead and inspire

all of us God's people on life's journey.

Rathcoffey First Communion Day

A welcome to our children

and their families

for this Sunday

First Communion Ceremony

in Rathcoffey.

A Family Faith Filled Day.

PARISH LOTTO DRAW

Sponsored by
Sherry FitzGerald Reilly, Clane
Tuesday 6th May 2025

1, 4, 14, 29

No winner of Jackpot

3 x €50 Winners

Sean Duffy, Harry Ryan,
Donal Travers

Promoters Draw

2 x €50 prize winners

Cathal Cullen, Kathleen Browne

Next week's Jackpot:

€ 5,200

Weekly Lotto tickets are available from your local Promoter, or the Parish Shop or Online at www.claneparish.com/play-lotto/

Minimum €250 worth

of prizes every week.



Parish online donations can be made via our website at www.claneparish.com or direct to Parish a/c: IBAN IE65AIBK 93323602444022 Clergy Fund a/c: IE79AIBK93323670508088

Eucharistic Adoration Clane Church
10.30am - 11am Fridays (after 10am Mass)
All Welcome!

Feast days during the week
Monday 12th – St. Pancras
Tuesday 13th – Our Lady of Fatima
Wednesday 14th – St. Matthias, Apostle
Thursday 15th – St. Carthage, Waterford
Friday 16th – St. Brendan, Kerry

Thought for the Week
Attitude is more important than ability.

Our Parish Pastoral Support Group will meet this coming Wednesday May 14th 2025.

Copies of an **Annual Parish Financial Statement** are available in both Churches.

Many Thanks to all for your continual financial support for the Parish.

Clane Tidy Towns are holding their annual Church Gate Collection at all Masses this weekend. Your support will be greatly appreciated.

John Sullivan
(Irish Wheelchair Association)
Biodiversity Garden
Ballinagappa Road, Clane, W91YT99
John Kennedy, who works in BirdWatch Ireland's Countryside Bird Survey and Irish Wetland Bird Survey teams, will give a talk on some native species of birds.

Date: Tuesday 20th May 2025
Time: 11.30am to 1pm

Booking Contact: eileen.obrien@iwa.ie
or 045989604

Blessed John Sullivan S. J. Mass
Lead by Bishop Denis Nulty
in Clongowes Wood College
on Sunday 11th May 2025 at 3pm.
All Are Welcome!

Items for the Parish Newsletter must be in to the Parish Office by **12 noon on Wednesday**
Email claneparish@eircom.net

Clane Altar Society
Ann Fadden
Fionnuala Conroy

Many thanks to those who contributed, and those who collected and counted
Basket € 2,153.41
Envelopes € 1,120.70

Kildare and Leighlin Diocese
Jubilee one day pilgrimage to Lough Derg with Bishop Nulty.

There are still places left on the bus for the Kildare and Leighlin Diocese Jubilee one-day pilgrimage to Lough Derg on Saturday 17th May.

The bus departs from Monasterevin at 5.40am, calling at Kildare, Newbridge, Naas, Sallins, Clane, Kilcock, Maynooth and M3 P&R Dunboyne.
Arriving at Station Island by 10am and returning from 5pm.
Cost €35 return for the bus and €50 for the island includes lunch.
Telephone/ Text Deidre 087-2467 594 to book your place.

Theology Open Day, is this for you?
The Priory Institute provides online Theology courses to degree level.
Visit our website prioryinstitute.com to find out more about our Open Day on Saturday 24th May.

Suaimehneas News SPECIAL EVENTS
Grateful Gatherings
2nd Wednesday of each month 7.30pm
Soundbath Healing
Last Friday of each month 7.30pm
NEW - Silence on Sunday
2nd Sunday of each month 10.30am - 11.30am
For more information call 087-2466 892

Care for me, Lord
As though you were a shepherd.
And I, a sheep of your flock lead me to the comfort of quiet and peace.
Lead me to walk through the world in your footsteps.
Even when there is sadness and shadow.
I shall not be afraid or lose hope,
You are with me in good times and in bad.
Care for me always, Lord as though you were a shepherd and I, a sheep of your flock. Amen.

Trócaire 2025
To date € 5,356 has been given to Trócaire from our 2025 Lenten Appeal.
Sincere thanks to all who have supported Trócaire, the Irish Catholic Agency for World Development.

Accord Catholic Marriage Care Service
Support couples preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage by training as a facilitator with Accord.

For more details contact Accord on marriagepreparation@accord.ie or 01-5053112

Parish Safeguarding Representatives
Fr Paul O'Boyle, Sean O'Hara, Aisling Behan
Diocesan Designated Liaison Person
Ailish Higgins dlp@kandle.ie 085 802 1633

Coffee Morning 2nd May
Our Holy Family Lay Members Coffee Morning, in aid of the Children of Gaza, raised a marvellous €1,305. Huge, huge thanks!
We hope to hold another one on Friday, June 7th, please God.
Your generosity is amazing, and it was a lovely community event where we all got to gather and chat.
If you're interested in becoming a Holy Family Lay Member, give me a call or text.

For more information
WWW.CLANEPARISH.COM
WWW.RATHCOFFEYPARISH.COM
WWW.KANDLE.IE (Diocesan website)